



IN THE UNITED STATE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Edward J. Walters and Philip J. Rosenthal
Assignee: Fastcase.com, Inc.
Application Number: 09/707,910
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Title: Apparatus and Method for Displaying Records Responsive to a
Database Query
Examiner: Greta Lee Robinson
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action of December 27, 2005, I am filing the following amendments and response. This filing is made within five months of the date of mailing of the office action, for which there was a shortened statutory period of three months. As such, the applicant respectfully petitions for a two-month extension of time and includes the corresponding fee of \$225 (the Applicant is a small entity). If it is deemed that a greater extension of time is required, the Applicant respectfully petitions for one, as well. The Applicant also makes three formerly dependent claims independent, but also cancels four independent claims, so no fee should be necessary. If any additional fees are required for this filing, the Applicant respectfully requests that they be deducted from the Applicant's deposit account, 503090.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper. The Applicant respectfully requests that the changes to the claims be approved.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.